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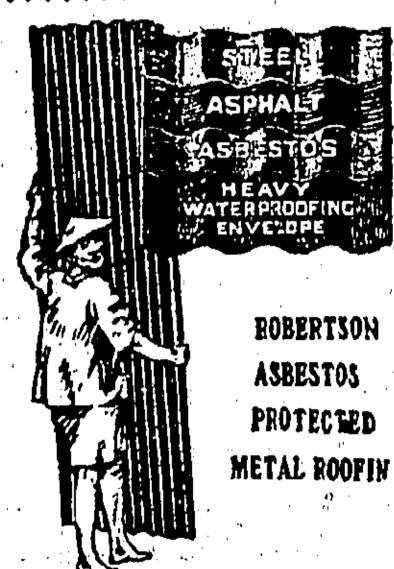
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HOTEL FIRE.

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INVESTIGATED TO-DAY

LATEST DETAILS.

Investigation is being carried CRIMINAL jout to-day by the Police as to the cause of the fire on New Year's Day at the Hongkong Hotel. possible.

'carrying' on" admirably.

Arrangements as to tea dances. dinner dances on the roof garden, meals, accommodation etc. are already well known. "Bessie's Bar" is open as formerly. There is a soda fountain in Cafeteria and hardly anything will be missed.

This morning the bamboo barri cade in the streets was foreishortened with the result that only the main wing is now cut off. Inside boardings are being put up to cut off access to the dangerous portion of the building.

schedule, now leave the Cafeteria door instead of Statue Square. Messes. Thomas Cook's are in the first floor of the new Building. Considerable water got into their old offices and removal may entrance but not the main hotel entrance. Most of the stock in Messrs. Powell's men's establishment and Messrs, Lane, "Crawford's ladies' shop has been removed the latter being housed in

the jewellery shop at thetcorner Trams are now passing along Des Vœux Road but "dead slow to cause the least possible vibraition. Shoring is going up around the damaged building, holes being dug in the road for this purpose.

The work that the tramway employees are carrying on outside of his case." the Hotel is in connection with the rendering of' the service there as free from vibration as possible, a As there was a suggestion of corrugation in the tread this was attended to and two joints which were not absolutely perfect were rendered so. The tops of the lines have

been made absolutely level. Police are on duty to prevent. people entering the danger zone and detectives have also been posted to prevent pilfering.

A "China Mail" reporter was informed this morning that the decision as to rehabilitation would occupy some time as the directors, the underwriters, the architects and the P.W.D. would have ing from California well known

to confer. further reports of residents hav- business was done through the ing retrieved belongings but it is compradore and dealers.

per control.

soon extinguished the flames.

AN INQUIRY?

Probable Official Action.

The "China Mail" understands that the matter of an enquiry into certain phases of the task of the Fire Brigade etc. has not been considered officially, although it is thought that there can be no doubt about one finally being held There will also be an enquiry into the death of Able Seaman Batchelor.

Mr. J. H. Taggart.

ed upon official enquiry that the medical pronouncement on Mr. J. H. Taggart, Chairman and Managing Director of the Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., was "distinctly better," although

5 no definite statement that dan-

ger has been passed can be made

THE ATHERLEY CASE.

PRISONER WHO COULD NOT FIND BAIL.

CONCESSION MADE.

SESSIONS PROCEEDINGS

European and Chinese members of Edward Atherley of fraudulent hearing of a case in which a decithe staff also residents will be conversion of sums of money sion was made on Wednesday for congratulate His Worship on interrogated and the interesting totalling \$3,275, received by him the confiscation of 57 bales of raw fact that last Wednesday the point will be solved as far as on account of Getz Bros. &Co. (of tobacco leaf seized on a junk at was not a single case in his Court. the Orient). Ltd. were hear at Yaumati. A. Chinese trader, act-Meanwhile the management is the Criminal Sessions this morn- ling as agent for the owner of the hoped it was all for the good of

> private banking account at the day and had been told to attend International Bank, payments into Court whet the matter came bewhich corresponded with the fore the Mestrate, but he failed the compradore on certain dates cation was then made after hearon behalf of the firm. Up till then, ing evidente of seizure. such amounts would have been This morning Mr. Lloyd said the compradore but it was the case was done. He thought Mr. he changed the rouse of the whom he resented were really office so that the money was paid the some of the tobacco.

to him personally. Atherley was called upon to face there had then a misunderstandabout this time was also referred ling between his client and Mr. Buses, running to usual to by Mr. F. C. Jenkin (for the Lloyd where he went to the office Attorney General). This was in to ask to be allowed to pay connection with the payment to necessary tuty on the tobacco Messrs. Fred Ellis & Co., Sharebrokers, at the March 1924, "It might settlement, of \$4,022. be," said Mr. Jenkin, "that Mr., Atherley could explain why payments into his private banking only be effected from their own account should correspond with those received by the compradore on those dates but it was certainly striking coincidence. I shall prove where he got some of them

fat any rate." At the outset of the trial, permission was given prisoner through Mr. Elsley Zeitlyn (instructed on his behalf by Messrs. Hall & Hind) to leave the dock and sit at counsels and solicitors'

table. Mr. Zeitlyn asked for this as, owing to Mr. Atherley not being able to obtain bail he "had been hampered in the presentation

A Juryman's Relations.

The question of the relationship of one of the jury also arose at the outset. Mr. Zeitlyn asked if. a Mr. Rosa was a relation of a Mr. Rosa-who was an accountant in Getz Bros. and a witness for the prosecution.

The juryman: Which Mr. Rosa? Mr. Zeitlyn: Mr F. X. Rosa. The juryman: Which Mr. F. X.

It transpired that he was no relation and no objection was

made to his inclusion in the jury. Mr. Jenkin, in opening the case for the Crown, dealt with the lactivities of Getz Bros. in exportbrands of tinned and bottled food Since Saturday there have been and the organisation by which

feared that some will not be able | Under the system in vogue up | Bank on March 24, 1924, the office to reduce heavy loss by further to the time that the alleged mis- system was changed, said Mr. appropriations took place, when Jenkin and the compradore was Meanwhile things are being the goods were imported into told to pay in to Mr. Atherley the pushed ahead rapidly under pro- Hongkong, Head Office in California would draw on the local About 6.p.m. yesterday a beam office (Mr. Atherley was their sole in the top floor was noticed to representative here) for the value

> kong on any particular day. account with the International

TO DAY'S DOLLAR.

The closing with of the dollar Slimon Shelk Jumin and Tong beat long beat. In. a. Tong

TOBACCO SEIZURE.

LEAVE GRANTED TO RE-OPEN CASE

A MISUNDERSTANDING ALLEGED

Before Mr. R. E. Lindsell, at the Central Magistracy morning, in application was made Charges erainst Mr. James by Mr. Leo d'Almada for the re-

tobacco, had seen Mr. J. D. Lloyd. Reference was made to the Superintencent of Imports and opening by Mr. Atherley of a Exports, at his office the previous amounts paid to Mr. Atherley by to appear. The order for confis-

paid into the Chartered Bank by he was there to see that justice for the Crown that when Mr. d'Almada gould have to satisfy Atherley opened his own account His Wors that the persons

Mr. d'Almada gave as his "A pressing need" which Mr. grounds a re-hearing that which had been brought from Canton the previous Friday 2 or Saturday His client assumed that he was to call at the office again at \$10.30 on the following morning, and accordingly went there, and the (Mr. d'Almada) himself was waiting at the office until 11:30. The application for confiscation had therefore been heard ex marte. He submitted that where addition no attempt to smugging the trobacco; and he was

> with Mr. Lloyd. Historship granted the application, and fixed 10 a.m. on Friday for re-hearing.

DYING QUEEN.

MOTHER OF KING OF ITALY.

(Reuler's Service.)

Rome, Jan. 3.

Queen Margherita is dying at Bordighera, and their Italian Majesties have departed thither. [Queen Margherita is the She was born on November 20, 1851, being the only daughter of Prince Umberto of Savoy, Prince Congress in Cawnpore. of Piemonte, who became King of. Italy in 1878 and died in 1900.]

amounts collected.

Private Banking Account.

be alight but the Fire Brigade of these goods. For the purpose was referred to by Mr. Jenkin of Nations Secretariat since 1919. of identifying dealers taking goods To look at the account during the Mr. G. H. Mair, who was the under any particular draft, a period in question, the only logical eldest son of the late Fleetsystem of numbered promissory conclusion to which one could come Surgeon G. Mair, B.N., was born notes was brought into vogue. It was that it was the account of a on May 8, 1887, and educated at was thus possible to see from the wealthy man. Mr. Atherley's Aberdeen University and Christ entries in the book what dealers | galary was in gold dollars working | Church, Oxford. He was on the in Hongkong took portions of the out at smelling like \$870 a literary staff of the "Manchester at the Wanchai Fire Station was draft from California to Hong-month and he paid into his Guardian" for five years and then account what would have been six Assistant Editor of the Daily When the amounts in question months salary, and on another Chronicle." He relinquished structure for drying hose. became due by local merchants, occasion two years' salary, journalism in 1914 to work under they were collected through the Where could Mr. Atherley have the Government, first in the Home compradore department, entered got this money, Mr. Jenkin asked Office and later with the Foreign in the books and the amount the jury. He pointed out that Office (News Department). He received filled in on the deposit amounts collected by the com- became Assistant Secretary, slip. The money, according to pradore for the firm coincided with Ministry of Information, in 1918, the system obtaining before the payments into Mr. Atheriey's and was Director of the British alleged misappropriations, was account at the same time. He also Peace Delegation to Paris in then entered in the paying-in book remarked that for the period 1919.] of the Chartered Bank of India, under which Mr. Atherley was the Company's bankers. When under arrest his private account Mr. Atherley opened a banking became exactly what one would expect of a man with a salary of \$870 a month:

The case is proceeding. The jury called to try the case is as follows: Mesers. P. M. N. da Silva (foreman), M. Minney, H. L. Steinfield, A. S. du Rota, B. A.

WHITE GLOVES.

PRESENTATION TO SENIOR MAGISTRATE.

THIS MORNING'S CEREMONY.

A, pleasant little ceremony took place at the Central Magistracy this morning after Mr. R. E. Lindsell had mounted the bench. Mr. P. P. J. Wodehouse, C.I.E.

(Captain Superintendent Police) said that he wished province and that the present position would be brought to an end by the restoration of normal communications. So far as the Police were concerned, he hoped the decrease in crime would remain for ever. He had much

present in Court, said he associated himself with what the C.S.P. had said and wished to offer congratulations also on behalf of the members of his pro-

In returning thanks for the token. Mr. Lindsell considered that the occasion was unique. At the same time he said it was Mr. Wodehouse and his force who should be congratulated on this interesting result.

TRAFFIC OFFENCE.

FAILURE TO REPORT " ACCIDENT.

A coolie was injured in 'the ankle when a motor car backed into a pavement at Praya East on December 12. He entered hospital the next day and died four prepared to go into the matter

Failure to report this accident was the charge against a Chinese driver at the Central Magistracy this morning. Defendant admitted that he bought the injured man some medicine and also gave a small sum of money as compen-

A fine of \$50 was imposed.

GANDHI TO REST.

A YEAR'S ABSTENTION FROM POLITICS.

WILL DEVELOP HAND-SPINNING.

(Reuter's Service.)

Ahmedabad, Jan. 3. Gandhi has decided to take a mother of King Victor Emmanuel. | year's rest from politics and devote his attention to the development of hand-spinning. He dethe late Prince Ferdinando of clares that this decision was Savoy. Duke of Genoa. She was taken after consulting many of married on April 22, 1868, to his friends during the National

LOSS TO LEAGUE.

DEATH OF ASSISTANT DIRECTOR.

(Reuter's Scrvice.)

London, Jan. 4. The death has occurred of Mr. George Herbert Mair, C.M.G., Mr. Atherley's banking account Assistant Director on the League

Reuter a Service.

FALL.

Mr. Zankoff's Cabinet: which

TO SAVE GREECE!

SENATE ELECTIONS DEFERRED

(Reuter's Service.)

Athens, Jan. 3. The Premier, General Pangalos, has announced that henceforth he is assuming entire responsibility for the government of the country, and will rely solely on the spower of the Army and on the Inational conscience to save Greece. He undertook to furnish reasons

for his decision. Meanwhile the Senate elections have been postponed sine die.

POLITICIANS BUSY. Athens, later.

It is officially explained that the postponement of the Senate elecitions sine die is due to certain pleasure in handing His Worship party leaders persisting in giving a pair of white gloves to mark the them a political complexion. which would thus defeat the Gov-Mr. Leo d'Almada, who was ernment's object of obtaining the cessation of the increasing political tension.

TRAIN SMASH.

TRAGEDY AT A LEVEL CROSSING.

MAHARANI'S COUSINS KILLED.

.. (Reuter's Service.).

Kalka, Jan. 3. The Maharaja of Patiala's

party was returning from a shooting camp when a lorry, conveying the Maharani's female attendants and two of her female

cousins, was smashed by the express train at a level crossiffic . Eight women were killed, and two others seriously injured.

TRACIC EXPLOSION.

DOZEN BODIES HORRIBLY MUTILATED.

MAN BLOWN THROUGH ROOF.

(Reuter's American Service.)

Pensacola, Florida, Jan. 3. A dozen bodies have already been recovered of victims of an explosion of one of the retorts at the Newport Rosin and Turpen-

tine Company. It is believed that over twenty persons are injured.

The recovered bodies were horribly mutilated. One man was blown through

the roof and fell 150 feet away. The damage to property

AFRICAN FLIGHT.

(Reuter's Service.)

Khartoum, January 8 Mr. Alan Cobham, who is on a flight from Landon to the Cape, has arrived at Mongalla, 150 miles north of the Uganda border.

FATAL FALL.

A NEW YEAR'S EVE ACCIDENT

On Thursday, a Chinese recruit The ladder swerved to a side and the fireman was thrown down 40 feet. He died in hospital.

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NINTH LARGEST TOURIST

"BELGENLAND'S" WONDERS.

LINER.

Hongkong will be visited this year by no fewer than six large steamers, carrying hundreds of wealthy tourists on their travels around the world, and of the six perhaps the most popular, so far as Hongkong is concerned, will be the gigantic Red Star liner, s.s. Belgenland, which, for the second time in her short career. will visit the Colony on January

She not only holds the record of being the largest steamer to enter the Pacific, but also the largest the globe.

was aroused by residents of the Colony and travellers from other beauty of their first glimpse of for lighting sconces of old silver Hongkong.

Those residents who were able to go aboard the "Belgenland" last year were amazed at the though sheltered room with green lavishness of the ship's wonderful fittings and accommodations, the interior resembling closely a huge the largest apartments in the modern hotel.

NEW YORK .- Irving Bank Columbia gross, is carrying on this cruise the restaurant and separated more than 400 passengers. The from it by a specially designed present cruise, like last year, is glass screen of small panes as under the management of the Red clear as crystal (the only one of Star Line, owners of the ship, in its kind on a ship) is another co-operation with the American apartment, which, like the Express Company, which has restaurant, extends the full width

reach Shanghai on January 13 hall or ball room, designed for and will remain there until the comfort and pleasure of January 18. She will then pro- those who love conversation. ceed to Hongkong where she will cigarette, a concert or dancing be from January 21 until after dinner. January 25.

Lavish Spenders.

As a matter of course, on a cruise for which tickets cost as much as G\$35,000 each, there will be a liberal representation of millionaires on the passenger list of the "Belgenland," and all her passengers, whether in the millionaire class or not, will be liberally supplied with cash, and GURRENT ACCOUNTS opened and doubtless ready to spend it freely

or shorter period at rates which will be This means that the shop-. keepers in Hongkong should profit tically all the staterooms are by the cruise ship's stay in port. fitted with beds of special design Not a passenger of the 475 and construction of mahogany or brought to China by the "Belgen- other fine woods. land" last winter departed without making substantial purchases or more tourists on board for over of silks, carvings, furniture, four months while they are comcurios, jewellery and other Chin- pletely circling the globe under ese goods, and it is not anti-the most luxurious conditions, and cipated that this winter's party we can only hope that they may on the "Belgenland" will be less be favoured by our usual good gers of last winter.

78 feet in breadth, and is en- Colony can offer. gaged in the summer Trans-JAPAN:-Tokyo, Yokohama, Kobe, Atlantic travel between New York and Europe. She is an Reclung. Bokoto, Nanto, Shin- international ship in the broadest: chiku, Taichu, Tainan, Takao, sense. Designed and built, at Belfast (completed in 1923) the CHINA:—Shanghai, Hankow, Amoy, "Belgenland" is owned by American stockholders of the Inter-Socrabaya, Semarang, Batavia, national Mercantile Marine Com-Bombay, London, New York, pany with headquarters in New York, and is operated by the Red Star Line, the principal steamship organisation operating between the United States and Belgium. She flies the British flag but her home port is Antwerr and she is managed from New

The "Beigenland's" commander, Captain John Bradshaw, is an American citizen, her officers are chiefly English and her stewards and chefs are English or Bekrium. She carries a total crew of 601 persons, of whom 40 are women, including stewardesses, Dr. Williams Pink Pills Banish hairdressers, nurses, maids and laundresses. Two surgeons and a dentist, a physical director in (Specially Authorised by Presidential charge of the gymnasiun, a cruise director and his staff of 15 men a master of ceremonies, an educaeditor for the ship's daily paper. three printers and a minister

Ideal Cruising.

In ner deek arrangement the ship is ideal for croising. Her Sydney Castoms Sun Correct Account Control Account Control Con

RXCHANGE sports, of generous proportions, where dack tennis golf, shuffle-

Other features of the vessel on linder board and other games are played. relating directly to recreation are as follows: two large and well equipped gymnasiums, an indoor swimming pool, with Turkish bath attached and two outdoor pools, the largest on by ship three_verandah cafes, available for refreshment, table games or dancing; a Japanese tea garden

for dining or dancing. In her public rooms the ship presents an appeal to varied tastes. Forward on the promenade deck is a drawing room for restful quiet, fitted with wide armed easy chairs, and having an open hearth.

In the centre of the ship is the Hongkong harbour and the lounge, extending from side t largest steamer to have crossed side. It has wide bay windows, a big fireplace, a library, recesses steamer to have completely circled for writing, broad sofas and many comfortable chairs and Last year when the "Belgenland" tables for games. visited Hongkong, great interest social centre of the ship, a most "livable,", attractive apartment. A few steps beyond the lounge parts of the world temporary re- is the smoking room. It is a hall siding here in seeing and, if pos- in size and of strong individual- Chinese Sub. Coin: a 271 st dis. sible, going aboard the ninth lity. The walls are panelled in I longtone Buh. Color. per largest steamer in the world. As richly tinted cedar in old English is the case with all visitors to and a fireplace with firedogs of Hongkong, the large parties as fretted brass. The rich colouring they came ashore expressed their of the wood panelling in this amazement at the picturesque room is an admirable background

> that ornament the walls. Beyond the smoking room is a well furnished verandah, an airy latticed walls.

Below the main deck are two of ship, the restaurant and the re-The vessel with its 27.200 tons ception rooms. Next forward of charge of all shore arrangements. of the ship and is of generous The big ship is due to length. This is the reception

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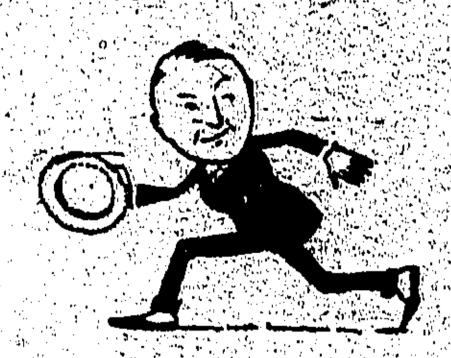
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NAVY WINS BIG MATCH.

FIRST TIE IN THE LEAGUE.

Scores of Saturday's Friendly Games.

The last match in the triangular . Royal Navy-2nd Innings. cricket tournament was ended on | Pay,-Lt. Hussey, b Bowker. Saturday with the Royal Navy Capt, West, b Bowker defeating the Hongkong C.C.-by Mid. Stephenson, b Bowker... six wickets.

On Friday, the Navy had made lit. Wauchope, not out 332 runs in their first venture—a l score which stood them in good stead later. The H.K.C.C. had lost three wickets for 61 runs when slumps were drawn. ...

Hayward and Owen Hughes, the two Club butsmen "not out" overnight continued on Saturday morning. Owen Hughes was dismissed after he had added four-runs to his previous score of 34. Hancock, Pearce and Lammert each fell cheaply, the total being 124 for seven. Hayward, who had been batting from the previous day was defeated by Royal Artillery as visitors and o Chartrell after adding six runs to each side scored 149 runs.

innings closed for 157. The H.K.C.C. were sent in again not out, including 15 fours. He Lee 3 and this time did better, scoring | batted very well. a total of 207. Owen Hughes (45): The C.S.C.C. were 143 up when and Fearce (49) were the top the eighth wicket fell. The ninth A. W. Ramsay, c Parker, b scorers, the others failing to come went with the addition of four off. The combined scores, how- runs. Excitement ran high with J. C. Lyal, c. K. Mackenzie,

innings total by only 32 runs. The Navy fost flour wickets in the Boldman was then caught by F. Goodwin, not out making the necessary runs. The Barrett off Rough. horst two wickets fell at 12, the next at 10, and the fourth at 201 The match therefore ended in their favour by six wickets.

Beatty in the first innings of the Club bowled 11 maiden overs. eight in succession.

Royall Navy-list Innings. "Lt.-Com. Armittage, c Pearce, b Powell Pay.-Com. Hussey, 5 Bowker.

Lt. Nicholson, b Powell Mid. Stephenson, b Stewart . . Lin Halsey, e Owen Hughes, be-

Capt. West, c Stewart, b Owen-Lt. Sillitoe, c Stewart, b

Capit. Lake, st. Pearce, b. Ed.-Col. Cantrell, not out Lt. Wanchope, c Stewart, b

Bowling Analysis.

Owen Hughes.. 16

H.K.C.C .- 1st Innings. A. W. Hayward, b' Cantrell... G. R. Sayer, I.b.w., b Cantrelli E. J. R. Mitchell, e Armitage,

E. F. Stewart, b Cantrell. . . . 14 Owen Hughes, c Stephenson, b Boutty 35 – Hancock, 'c Sillitoe, l

T. P. Pearce, b Cantrell E G. Lammert, c Armitage, A C. I. Bowker, not out.... F. N. Young, b Cantrell

Rev. T. B. Powell, b Beatty ...

Total 157 Bowling Analysis.

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H.K.C.C .- 2nd Innings. E. J. R. Mitchell, c Cantrell, b Stephenson A. C. I. Bowker, c Lake, D

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A. W. Hayward, c Hussey, b. Cantrell R. Hancock, c Hussey, b

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Capt. Lake, not out

Extras Total (for 4 wkts.) Bowling Analysis.

LEAGUE MATCH.

C.S.C.C. y. R.A.

For the first time this season, a match in the league ended in a tie. The Civil Service had the Hattersley Smith contributed 80 Lyal

ever, exceeded the Navy first two runs being added by Edmonds, bringing the score to a C. Lee," not out

Royal Artillery.

Capt. Bensley, e de Rome, b Hamiltonb. Hall, b Evans ut. Smith, b Evans Major Hattersley Smith, not

Complete scores for the match Lt. Chester, c Holdman, b Hamilton M. Gr. Rough, b Baker Cupt. Barrett, b Evans Sgt. Gifford, run out o. 19 Bdr. Rule, c Wood, a b

Edmonds Gr. Sandell, b Evans Bdr. Dunne, b Evans Extras

Total 149 Bowling Analysis.

Lt.-Com. Beatty, b Bowker . . " . 0 Fr. J. de Rome, fun out . : 13 B. D. Evans, lib.w., b Gifford

C. Fincher, c sub., b Gifford A. E. Wood, e Hattersley Smith, b Lt. Smith v. E. Lawrence, c Chester, b H. G. Wallington, c Barrett, b. Rough

. W. Hamilton, c Chester, b Lt. Smith S. B. Spillett, c Bensley, b Lt. F. Baker, Lb.w., b Rough ... 63 F. H. Holdman, c Barrett, b

Rough W. H. Edmonds, not out Extras Bowling Analysia.

FRIENDLY GAMES.

K.C.C. v. H.K.C.C. 2nd XI.

A whole day match was played w. at Kowloon between the Kowloon 6 C.C. and the Hongkong C.C. 2nd

The first innings was played to a finish, H.K.C.C. making 130 runs and the home team replying with 91. In the second innings H.K.C.C. made 135 for 4 wickets; 11 Kowioon, 131 for two wickets.

H.K.C.C. 2nd XI.—1st Innings. A. K. Mackenzie, c. Hancock,

16 H. V. Parker, b Goodwin ... 5 M. M. Watson, run out

C. L. R. Becher, c Gordon, b Carpital a glacial attack of a late of a D. E. G. Nicholson, c Parsons, b Lyal. G. R. Vallack, c Parsons, b

0 Goodwin 45 A. G. Gordon, c Lyal, b Lee 49 H. Griffin, c Hancock, b Goodwin

16 W. W. Mackenzie, b Goodwin 13 W. Brackenridge, b. Goodwin 84 S. E. Green, not out

K.C.C.—1st. Innings. A. W. Ramsay, c Parker, b

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H.K.C.C .- 2nd Innings. H. V. Parker, c Gorvin, b

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Total (for 4 wkts., dec.) 135 Bowling Analysis.

K.C.C.—2nd Innings. Vallack

b Vallack

· Total (for 2 wkts.) 131 Bowling Analysis. Vallack 5

I.R.C. v. NAVY.

At Sookumgoo, a match between Irinna the Indian R. C. 2nd XI and the Zimmern 4.2: [0] . 6. he Boyal Navy 2nd XI ended in a

The game was slightly "in favour of the home team, who declared with 168 mins for six wickets. Wahab keontribused 63 not out, playing a fine game and hitting's dozen fours. The Navy had at the close of play a talky of 121 for six, several players

r melting double figure scores. Arkther (II. R. C.) took diswickets for 17, and Bennett (Navy): 3 for 25

« ✓ I.R.C. 2nd XI. M. P. Madar, b Ingham J. Hassan, b Allen N. B. Kitchelt, e Spencer, b

2 Permette J. S. Ackber, c Conway, b Y. A. Wahab, not out 19 [S. A. R. Ismail b. Bennett 21 . S. Esmall, b Bennett 6. "Extras T. 15

> Total (for 6 wkts., dec.) 168 . Nazarin, A. R. M. Samy and D. M. Razáck did not bat. Bowling Analysis.

Ingliam let Comber 5 Navy 2nd XI.

Line Hayter, c Madar, b Ackber 23. W. Hung, Lbrw. Crabtree The Dwane, b Ackber 32 Nge Sze-kwong, c Free, b F.t. Simpson, b Wahab 3 Stansford Mid. Simms, c Madar, b Ackber 1 J. L. Youngsaye, c Crabtree, b Pay Com. Coomber, not out 26 ... Stansford Id. Com, Ingham, b Ackber 1 H. C. Hung, c and b May Pay Lt. Allen, b Madar 4 Eng. Lt. Bennett, not out 21 Extras 10

Total (for 6 wkts.) 121 K. W. Cheng, H. Ching, T. O. lonway and Lt. Spencer did not but. not but. "Bowling Analysis."

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C.C.C. v. TATEOO.

Playing on their ground, the from Tarkoo by 105 runs

C.C.C.

MISSION TO CHINA.

(Reuter's Service.)

London, Jan. 2. The "Dally News" understands that the British Commission foreshadowed a few months ago by Sir Austen Chamberlain, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, will shortly proceed to China to confer with the Chinese authorities regarding the allocation of the balance of the Boxer indemnity. Lord Willingdon is mentioned as head of the delegation.

Lord Willingdon has been Governor of Bombay and of Madras, relinquishing the latter post in 1924. He is a Lord in Waiting to the King and is a keen sportsman.

Bowling Analysis.

Taikoo.

H. F. Farper, run out T. Young, c Arculfi, b. Fletcher T. Grings, b Pinna 38 (c). McNeillie, c sub., b Abbus ... F. Moore, c.sub., b Abbas 61. McDeod, b Fletcher 30 J. Finnie, c Zimmern, b Pinna J. S. Flope, b Fletcher R. Bell, J.b.w., b Metcher.

> R. Mckennan, b. Zimmern Extras

. McIndoe, 5 Fletcher ?.....

C. Young, not out

Bowling Analysis.

C.R.C. v. H.M.S. "HAWKINS."

This friendly match on the ground in Hongkong was opened on of the Chineso Recreation ground was drawn.

H.M.S. " Hawkins."

A. Binns, a Cheng, b. Young-(), A. Crabtree, Ab.w. Ching th." We, Musell, e Ching, b Yeole H (O. A. Willcocks, b Yeoh 12. O. Free, run out Mid. Smyth, not out44 E. R. A. Jakeman, run out Pat. Stansfordy'e Ng Sze-kwong... b. Ching A. Smith, not out

Total (for 9 wkts, dec.), 168 " Chief Stoker May did not bat."

Bowling Analysis: W. Hung 6 - 1 w. Ng Sze-kwong ... 1 O Youngsaye 4 2 MgC. Hung 4 . 0 . 16

O. C. Chen, e May, b Crabtree Not the Proof of the second

Extras

Total (for 5 wkts.) 20 126

Pay Lt.-Com. Greenstreet, Lt. Tse, C. F. Wong and H. Hung did Bowling Analysis.

NEW YEAR PARER CHASE LESULT.

Craigengower C.C. defeated a team. The Funling Hunt met Mr. Potta's Bungalow to hold their New Year paper chase, proved a capable accompanist. Y Abbas & Moore, b Grimes 29 The course was laid by Mr. M. Pinner of the last 12 O Blocher & Moore, b chase. A start was made at about 84 4 o'clock from below Mr. Bouse st. The instrumble young actor was Zimmern settred 40 Bungstow, leaving the Portuguese explaining the family prejudices M. Xuvier c McLeod, b Colf Course on the left, then out which he had to overcome before he 6 ipto the Valley behind, turning could adopt the stage as a career. H. Lim, c McLeod, b McMellie 2 lest hinded town de Loc des Change Tropes un actor canong trace proble W. Ball uskeft, not out the 18 crossing the Barling Road and before always the Barr or at least It Modifie Young b Gelmes 7 innishing behind Mrs Potts & Bunger | Medicine : you know . Metter of

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3' Goldenberg and his supporters. The Rev. F. Scott, Chaplain of H.M.S.-"Hawkins," who is a very keen member, briefly outlined the aims of the Order and stated that the inauguration of the Institute was a step in the right direction and confirmed the opinion, now generally accepted, that the R. A. O. B. was a brotherhood

to be proud of. Thanks to the untiring efforts. of Bros. Dear, Lowry, Pillage, Stevens and other members of the Committee, the opening cere mony was carried out without a hitch and over one hundred members assembled to give the venture a send-off. At the conclusion of the concert, it was assured that the R. A. O. B. Institute in 6 Hongkong has come to stay. The only regret was that untimely death prevented Mr. James Oxberry from seeing the fulfilment of his life's ambition; the formation of such an Institute.

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The C.P.S., R.M.S. "Empress

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" MALWA"	10,941	6th Feb.	Marselles and London
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"KBIVA"	9,155	20th Mar.	Marseilles, London & Antwerp
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"DEVANBA"	8,155	17th April	Marsailles, London & Antworp
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· ORETA	8,097	8th Jan.	Bhanghal and	i Kobe	
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"TILAWA"	10,008	25th Jan.	Kobe and Os		
'TALAMBA"	8,018	1st Feb."	Shanghat and		u ''
" MANTUA "	10,902	6th Feb.	Shanghal, Me		
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" MORBA"	10,911	6th Mar.	Shanghal, M.		
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"KALYAN"	9,144	19th Mar	Shanghal, M	All and	Koha
" DEVANHA"	8,155	20th Mar.	Shangbai, M		
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United States already operating. present with the establishment of a jon overseas loans was removed. world-wide wireless service.

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STINDINGS OF THE NAVALE COURT.

"PRICE OF DEVELOPMENT."

(Reuter's American Service.) New Mork, Jan. 1.

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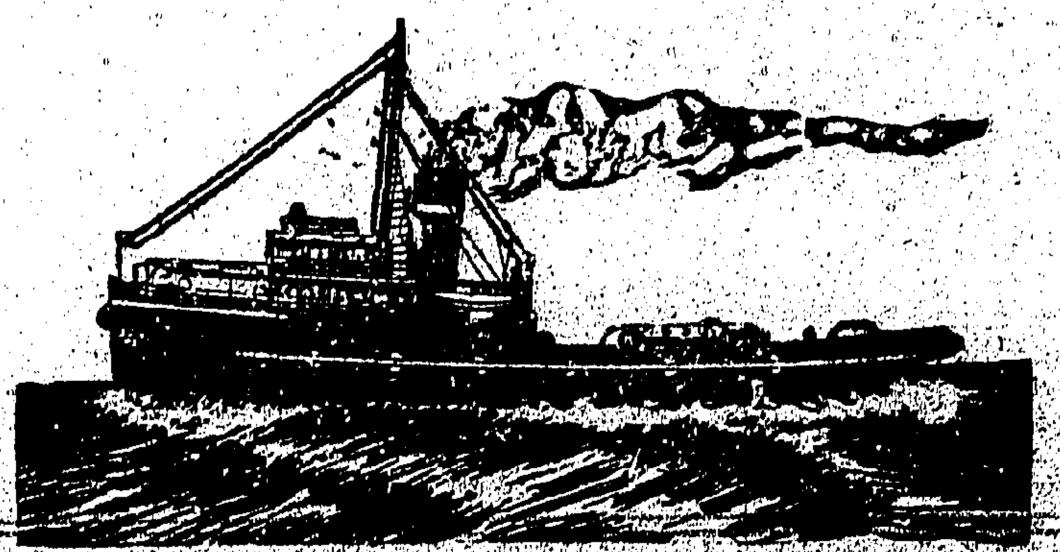
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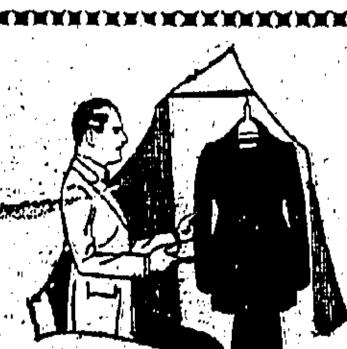


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BIRTH.

REID.—At the Peak Hospital, on December 31, to Jean, wife of Douglas Reid, a son.

Hongkong, Monday, January 4, 1926.

THE HOTEL FIRE.

That the chief social centre of manner. the Colony should have suffered Friday's ordeal is a matter too serious to pass without searchagainst certain aspects of the divided they fall. More and more home at Bournemouth on Christoutbreak, and feeling is that this is it being realised that when mas Day of Mr. Denman Fuller, up this question of fires in Hongcriticism will increase rather than diminish as the full facts and contentment follow. Cad- The late Mr. Denman had of the state of affairs here, and took command of the Naval are brought to light. Nobody who bury's, Lever's and Rown-suffered considerably for some how much money they are paying parties, consisting of sailors and watched Friday's events can fail trees in England bear this out, years and had undergone many out on account of this. to agree that the Fire Brigade is disgracefully under-staffed for the task it was called upon to perform... This task by common consent was utterly beyond its compass, and but for the heroic aid of masters and men were friends; good music and gave many reno doubt, in the words of Mr Walter J. Hawker, Manager of That ideal has been lost some- The late Mr. Fuller had numer- Ltd., to give expression in your hotel and fall in the alleyway. the Hongkong and Shanghai what in the antagonism which ous private pupils whilst in columns to the thanks of this His comrades rushed to Hotels, Ltd., the results of the outbreak, serious as they are would have been terrible in the be blamed to its responsible instead of revolution. We have is believed to be survived by his Army, Government officials, best surgical attention, but his officers. The Superintendent, Mr. example in the face of every dis- latest hails from America in the couragement. His lieutenants promotion of an organisation to were equally active—but their Inumbers were so weefully inadequate. The result of this was petitor"—a wide range indeed. at times little short of tragic. One of the main points is that hulf-a-dozen different ruces who heroic helper has to be recorded, sacrifice of a valued young life, Did some band of enthusiastic arbitration is to be accepted "as came into this country as immigrants and no words can express our, given up in a cause not imhelpers connect the wrong hoses the better way to settle disputes." at one time or uncher.—Col. Wedg- heartfelt regret for the loss of the mediately connected with his -Mr. Brooks was there in person to remedy the fault. Did the motor fire engine have to driven from Pedder Street Into Des Voux Road Central to deal character." This particular code with a critical new twist of the has been nine years in the process fire it was Mr. Brooks who jumped into the seat beside the driver, ing: took the wheel himself, and drove to the required spot. Undoubtedly in this way Mr. Brooks obtained results which would never have been obtained had he not been such a model of personal lactivity. But it is disgraceful

that the Superintendent himself

ishould be called upon to perform

I tasks which important as they

g the fire, can only

chanical. The Supers and emberrase him

intendent should have at his command a sufficient number of chief free for the task of directing the operations as a whole. Possibly it may be agreed that not to the system, for it is not difficult to imagine occasions when the greatest efforts of the individual must be utterly adequate before the magnitude of the task. This defect in the preers of a man whose duty it should be to conduct the strategy of the well, is only one of the grave matters that call for immediate repels us to leave the matter there tainly take the first opportunity to draw attention to the other defects in the present system which Friday's outbreak, em-

THE GOLDEN RULE.

More and more with regard to strong capital and labour is it being! News has been received in the considerate enough to start dur- function." directed realised that united they stand, Colony of the death at a nursing ing prohibited hours? both have each other's in- for many years organist of St. kong, could not the head-offices in terests at heart, success John's Cathedral, Hongkong. and the Ford works in America, operations after he left Hongkong The old suspicion of exploitation three years ago owing to reasons is dying out—slowly—and a of ill-health. newer heaven is being ushered in. Whilst in Hongkong, he pro-In a speech which gained his minently identified country's applause the British with all movements ofor premier spoke of the days when the provision in the Colony of the navy and army men, there is when the masters knew each man citals at St. John's Cathedral for and co-operation resulted from the improvement of the fine to permit me on behalf of the to break open some shutters, slip the foreman to the apprentice organ there. crept in, born of suspicion and Hongkong for the pianoforte and Company for the splendid ser- Batchelor's assisstance. It was saner elements in the ranks of curator of the museum library. occurred in the Hongkong Hotel his arms and legs being broken, extreme. That the Fire Brigade Labour have done much to foster Deceased was 45 years on the 1st instant. The Fire He was promptly removed to the was so unequal to the task cannot a spirit or a desire for evolution of age, and unmarried, but Brigade, the Police, the Navy, the Naval Hospital and received the ed and there is also the growing pathy of all the deceased gentle- Boy Scouts-all were represented, and Batchelor passed away to his H. T. Brooks, worked with tire-spirit of co-operation. Methods man's friends in Hongkong will and everybody worked strenuous- rest in the early hours of this less energy and unwavering which tend to this happy state of be extended in her bereavement. ly at the task of overcoming the morning, thus adding another affairs are to be encouraged. The "promote pleasant and profitable relations between employee, customer, manufacturer and com-All subscribers to the code are to "strive by all lawful means to cooperate in raising the standards be of the industry by securing adoption of uniform trade practices of a universally beneficial

> any false or disparaging statements, either written, or oral respecting a competitor's pro-1. I think we over estimate the duct, service, selling price, fundion of the brain. - Sir Oliver. business, financial or personal Lodge.

of development and some para-

graphs of it are worth reproduc-

etanding. I will not interfere with nor . It is not my experience that secured contracts.

I will not entice a competifor my service or to hamper eralisation about Young wat was disastrous configration.

I will not sell material at or below cost for the purpose of annoying harassing or eliminating a competitor

If business men are willing to carry on their operations on lines of such high ideals, it is easy to imagine the resulting benefit to them and the particular industry concerned and those employed in fire, whilst recriminations are it, and to realise that one step nearer a new heaven has been papers as professed exponents If a man is wilking to enquite certain he will ennoble the public is, and has for some has been in the employ of Messrs. them in whatever circumstances time, been expressing privately. he may find himself. The Golden itself adopted in everyday life, and unnecessary loss of property They had ordered dinner to be Generally adopted in everyday and some lives. It is hard to re- served in their room on Thurs-A good start then for the New has not opened by saying that the when one of the boys, thinking Golden Rule.

A Sad Beginning.

sad beginning of a New Year, sure at all on the 4th and 5th Five European countries have floors, there would have been been laid under toll by disastrous fire at all to speak of. The sight Powell on the floor, bleeding prosponsible men able to supervise all floods, assuming in Holland the of willing volunteers stands such matters so as to leave their nature of a national catastrophe, impotently by, pointing empty From Penscola, in Florida, comes hoses at the small flames, tidings of an explosion of a retort, watching it gradually take comresulting in at least a dozen plete charge, was enough to make deaths, the bodies being horribly the fire fiend laugh aloud with even so the efforts to cope with mutilated; and a message from malicious joy and glee. Friday's outbreak could not have the Indian Native State of Patiala been directed better. If we act reports a tragedy arising from an express train smashing a lorry cept that view it is with the reser- containing the Maharani's female vation that the credit must be attendants and two of her female given solely to the individual and cousins. Nearer the Colony—in Chihli-thousands of homes have been devastated as the outcome of the Chinese civil war: "Little" Hsu has been assassinated; and a Japanese steamer has been wrecked, although fortunately not! pattended by loss of life. Truly a tragic commencement for a New sent staffing of the Fire Brigade Year! Rejoicing has been short- ed to fix responsibility for the throwing so much on the should- lived. The call for sympathy is present unsatisfactory state of great. In the whole chapter of affairs, with impartial commisdisasters will be found eloquent sioners and counsel to represent reminders of the symbols of the public. Of course, we all fight, instead of having to link mortality: of the everlasting know the cellike propensities of hoses and drive fire engines as truism that, "in the midst of life Government Departments when it we are in death": that, how-comes to the question of responever joyously we enter upon sibility, but there are one or two form. Lack of space to-day com- Year, grim reminders are inevit. who could be relied on to even for the moment, but we shall cer- The moralist is not generally a Government Department. regarded as the possessor cheerfulness; but he cannot altogether be dispensed with inany review of a unique record of tragedies in almost every part of the civilised world. phasized in such startling

OBITUARY.

MR. DENMAN FULLER.

distrust, based at times on events singing and for some years was vices rendered by so many will- soon discovered that the young which warranted such. The custodian of the City Hall and ing helpers during the fire that sailor was seriously injured, both

the institutions already mention- mother to whom the sincere sym- Hospital and Ambulance services, injuries were beyond human aid

THEY SAY THAT-

There is not a single member of

I fear that even the Socialist ma become Conservative. Mr. Wheat:

It ought to be as ignominious to let a marriage go to pleces as for a captuin to lose his ship. Miss Sheila Kaye Smith.

I have almost come to the conclusion that it is a Christian duty I will not make or circulate not to complain about the rates,— The Bishop of Chelmsford.

attempt to twist a competitor's British workman is deteriorating Mr. W. L. Hichen

tor's amployees away, either I have not heard wample gen their endeavour to suppress the

note ite Mt. Royer Lynd.

CORRESPONDENCE:

LESSONS OF FRIDAY'S

(To the Editor of the Ohina Mail)

Sir,—With regard to the Hote. useless, it is high time that the public opinion, should expound the great dissatisfaction which

Rule adopted in business will find series, all of which entailed great hotel for nearly a year past. life it will be adopted in business. call a single report of a fire which day and the table had been laid Year is the adoption of this firemen were handicapped at the Mr. Powell was behaving somestart by lack of pressure, but what strangely, went to inform when etc., they soon got the Mr. R. W. MacCabe, the manager. better of it.

To come back to the Hotel fire, It is said, Mr. Powell picked up a there are several witnesses to the Hongkong is not alone with its fact that had there been any pres-

We all know the supreme indifference with which the authorities here treat public opinion, and that it requires quite a number of retaining walls, for instance, collapse before they can be persuaded to have an enquiry as to why a retaining wall does not retain; but surely there has been enough damage done to life an property by totally unnecessary fires for even Hongkonn's self complacent mandarins to begin to

A public enquiry is badly need-New leading Counsel in this Colony life, cope with the tergiversations of

> tell us what the objection is to installing a salt-water reservoir and pumping station on the Peak, | furthing? and using it for not only fires but all street-watering and flushing purposes? Why all this unnecessary waste of water, when every year there is a shortage, and not much prospect of conditions changing:

> Also what happens in the rider-main district if a fire is in- phasis.

Finally, if no one else will take England or America be informed

Yours, etc., ONLOOKER.

Hongkong, Jan. 2, 1926. HOTEL'S THANKS.

Sir,-I beg you to be so kind as Batchelor, in his gallant attempt Hongkong and Shanghai Hotels, off a ledge on the first floor of the fire. Had such assistance not glorious deed to the pages of the been readily forthcoming, there is gallantry of the British Navy. no doubt but that the results of Now it may be asked what the

gallant seaman.

ed in the time of trouble, the widow to mourn his untimely. Company is deeply indebted and death, the duty becomes all the sincerely grateful.—I am, Sir, Yours faithfully,

HOTELS, LTD.,

Manager. Hongkong, January 3, 1926.

WELL DONE! (To the Editor of the China Mail,

was the phrase summatising the grees of the Hongkong Hotel fire Loss in the history of Hongkong. for the eplendid work put in by the sallors, soldings, and police in l

SHANGHAI TREA

ACCOUNTANT SHOT I

"BEHAVING STRANGELY."

There was a tragic happening at the Burlington Hotel, Bubbling Well Road, Shanghai, on Christmas Eve, resulting in the death of Mr. Wallace Powell, an accountant who for some time past S. J. David & Co. Mr. Powell and This fire is only the latest of a his wife had been residents in the

The boy scarcely had left when,

loaded revolver and shot himself in the head. A lady in an adjoining room heard Mrs. Powell's cries and rushed in, finding Mr. fusely and Mrs. Powell in a state of collapse. Medical air promptly was summoned and the police informed, and Mr. Powell was removed with all haste to the General Hospital For a time there were hopes that he would recover, but early on Christmas morning. he collapsed and died. Mr. G. W. King, H.M. Coroner, opened an inquest on Boxing Day and after taking evidence of identification ordered an adjournment for further investigation.

Mr. Powell served in the war and it is understood that his health suffered as a consequence. He further had been considerably worried of late over personal business matters.

A budding poet stood gazing at the stars. "Ah." said his friend. I suppose you are meditating a somet or a set of verses to go with the music of the spheres?"

"No," said the poet, "but it pleases me to look upward to a region where nothing is ever crowded out for want of space!"

"Do you know, dad said the Whilst on this subject, can you young prodigal, "I've never run out" of money from the time I went teway... and when you gave me that lucky

"Well, well," beamed the luppy father. "I'm so pleased to hear that: I'm pleased you've get some. of the old whill in you, George; I'd rather fewed it would be other-

"No," replied George, with em-"I've allus

marines from practically every British warship in port, it was seen how determined and keen were the efforts of the sailors to win a victory over the devouring element.

There was a subdued feeling of (To the Editor of the China Mail.) poignant grief when the huge crowd saw Able-Seaman

the outbreak, serious as they are, Colony and those who were most. would have been terrible in the vitally interested in yesterday's extreme. It is with the deepest disaster intend doing to mark this House who has not the blood of sympathy that the death of one their tangible appreciation of the duty. If it is true that Able-To all who so generously assist- | Seaman Batchelor leaves a young more pressing and imperative on the part of the Coleny to show. For THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAL its practical sympathy.

No words can fittingly express WALTER J. HAWKER, the unsfinted admiration for the splendid work put in by all units and by every branch of the Services in an endeavour to minimise the destructive progress of New Year's day's fire. And it is fitting that some adequate means be found to record the Colony's appreciation of the Teplendid services received in a admiration of the thousands of dicaster that will go down among on-lookers who watched the produce blegest in point of material

When Vice Admiral Sincher Hongkong January 2, 1926.

FREAT FLOODS.

SEVERAL IDUPOR DAMS

(Renter's Service.)

London, January 1.

has sought the assistance of the have not yet" taken up caused by the overflowing of the

Train services between Maastricht f aplaces are partially inundated, while devastated in the recent fighting. the vilage of Megon is completely abotatoei

Altavestevn will collapse.

sent to Nymegen to render ussist. be invited to send delegates.

SITUATION CRUTIGAL.

Amsterdam, January 2. The dyke on the River Mease. near Cuvck, has a collapsed and Chi-jui is pessimistic regarding torrents of water are rushing into othe situation owing to the death the eastern part of the Province of of Hsu Shu-cheng, and is desirous Brubaut. The situation is most of retiring shortly. Some vernaeritical :

GOVERNMENT ACTION.

Amsterdam, January 2. The Government is hurrying men and material to the inundated

All military and naval lowe has been stopped.

GREAT CATASTROPHE.

Amsterdam, January 2. Pleads in the districts of the £12,190,000, compared a Elizars Mouse, Whal, Blaine and I Back have Besomed the character of acgrout castrople. Padlway dykes: , have collapsed in several places and l in others are threatening to do so. The damage is so serious blad it.

will be months before radivar traffic can be resumed. Several villages have been prachically evacuated and cathe transfer-

red to the higher land. and nighteto assist the pointation.

QUEEN'S CONCERN.

Amstertham, January 3.

A message from The Bagne states that Queen Wilhelmina and The Prince Consors, the Views President of the Durch Red Chors Society, have left to assertain the of which the loan service is under damage from floods in the previous the management of the Inspectorof Golderland and Frinburg.

Holland, states that their Majesties redemption payments of the Convisited the mundated regions in a solidated Debt are one year in bond, followed by a second bond arrear of schedule. louded, with kindstaffs for distribution to the population.

The whole region between the Edvers Mense and Wood is at prosent flooded. Military and Porice, The a result of experiments in sub- at intervals. in boats, are rescuing the peasant stituting the wood of eucalyptus for all their property behind.

\$.000 HOUSES APPECTED. Brusads, January 2.

The King of the Belgians and several of his Manisters visited the immdated regions.

and the country and concentrating Florida. them in the flooded areas. Over 8,000 houses at Liege are under

The Government is taking urgent measures to cope with the disaster.

NATIONAL FUND: 0

Brussels, January 2. The Belgium newspapers and the Belgian Red Cross' Society have opened a National Fund to, aid evictims of the floods, which constitute a untional disaster.

RIDNE RECORD.

London, January 3. Germany is still affected by the Goods throughout the continent. A cable from Cologne states that

the Rhine has registered a record of 314 feet above normal. The water has reached the thidd floor of some houses bordering the river Traffic and business at the markets is suspended. Quantities of furniture and other wreckage are swiding down the stream. Losses are estimated at millions of marks.

- A later message from Cologne sole pend the about evel of the Meus and Rhine has risen a further 20 inches in the last 24 hours. The atreets of Vento are flooded

Utrecht is under water. THAMES BISING.

witho 40 inches of water and

London, January 2 Owner to the widespread floods in

PEKING CABINET.

ANOTHER CONFERENCE IN NEAR FUTURE.

HOLIDAYS IMPEDE BUSINESS.

(Reuter's Service.)

Owing to the New Year holi-The Burgomaster of Manstricht days, the new Cabinet Ministers military in connection with floods duties. No mandates are being issued. All the vernacular papers are taking at least four days' holiday.

The new Chilli Tupan. and Liege are completely interrupt- Yueh, has wired to the Governand Saswa gent, Zevenaar, ment, asking for \$200,000 for the Gonds and Zolle and several other relief of those whose homes were

ANOTHER CONFERENCE. The Government is reported to Is is ferred that the dyke near be contemplating the convention of a Peking Conference, to which A division of Marines has been the principal military leaders will Invitations will be sent to Chang Tso-lin and Wu Pei-fu.

> PESSIMISTIC. Peking, January 1. Chinese circles report that Tuan cular papers state that he is retiring on January 15.

MARITIME CUSTOMS. Peking, Jan. 1. The China Mafitime Customs' revenue for 1925 amounts in round figures to Tls. 69,865,000, an increase of Tls. 270,000 compared with 1924.

£12,741,000 in 1924, at an aver-important for the United States to kong Fire Brigade), Mr. and Chipwangtao, Tls. P.536,000. Chain to vollect her foreign debts. and the principal decrease at Shanghai, Tls. 1,524,000.

The total collection at Shanghai was Fls. 26,023,000.

The revenue from the Native Gustoms, under the control of the Inspector-General, amounts to Tls. 4.746,000, equalling £828,000 The authorities are working day at an average exchange of 3/5%. This shows an increase of Tls.

All the foreign loans, indemnity and obligations secured on the Customs Revenue (including wrecked the service for the Reorganisation Loan) have been met or covered in full.

All domestic loan obligations. General, also were met in full. A semissage from Nippegen. It is to be noted, however, that

CHEAPER PAPER.

*Reuler's American Service.)

have fled from their homes, leaving excalyptus grown at Sao Paulo, scooped low. Brazil, which is said to have excel- To cover up the bare spaces Topmates of No. 10 Mess, 54 and lend printing quality and to be ropes upon ropes of pearls are 55 Messes, from Old Shipmates strong enough to be used on high worn, real and artificial being No. C Mess.

speed presses. It is estimated that such paper telegraphed unemployment pay to vention will bring paper mum the arms. the flooded districts and is con- facture into prominence in Brazil. Ropes and large plaques are "Pettersfield," Communications sidering the possibility of requisi- Eucalyphus grows readily in Cati- hung down the back, and leg Department, the officers and all tioning thousands of pumps through- fornia, New Mexico, Arizona and bracelets are even being worn on ranks, 5th Battalion, 2nd Punjab

fundation were cancelled.

bunks in several places and is still evening wear woman in the day. Manager and Staff of the Repulse rising. Many bungalows in Sun- time is muffled up to the eyes. Bay Hotel, the Directors and bury and Chertesy are cut off and. The newest collars on day dresses Hongkong Staff of the Hongkong bouts are being employed to deliver are six inches deep and are and Shanghai Hotels, Ltd.

HURRICANE DAMAGE.

London, January 35 Gules and storms over Europe are. consing serious floods in many hour lurricane awept over Britain la'st night causing much damage. Relegraph and telephone services are interrupted.

EARLIER CABLEGRAMS.

Amsterdum, Jan. 1. inue to rise. The flooded area is estimated now at over ten thousand acres but hitherto no lives have been lost. The lown of Venlo is completely flooded. The Queen yesterdaylight left for Nymegen to in-

provinces in some places autimingly, made of rubber, are first dipped Several milion france duonige has in an astringent lotion. been caused in the region of Gear. The carmine cheeks acquired Normandy Thousands of workmen after a law minutes of have been readered, ide in the drastic, treatment last for hours North East owing, to the necessity and are much more in the vogue! of coounce factories.

BRITISH MISSION.

LHAVING SHORTLY FOR CHINA.

(Router's Service.)

London, Junuary 3. Lord Willingdon may head the British Delegation of three persons to China, heaving early in 1926 to discuss the utilisation of the British share of the Boxer Indemnity to banefit China.

Adelaide Anderson, D.B.E., have incident took place. been invited to join the Mission to

Austen Chamberlain, Secretary State for Foreign Affairs, will shortly proceed to China to confer with the Chinase authorities regarding the allocation of the balance of the Boxer indemnity. Lord Willing ton is mentioned as head of the delegation.]:

WORLD FINANCE.

LAWYER'S ADVICE TO THE U.S.A.

(Havas Agencys)

Paris, January 3. A New York message to the Paris edition of the "New York Herald"

VESSEL WRECKED.

APIL THE PASSENGERS SAVED.

(Reuter's Service.)

Lehang, January 3. The Japanese steamer "Tehyang"

poes agers have been saved.

MORE DARING.

" PEARL ROPES AS "CLOTHING."

EVENING WEAR.

smartest women.

New York, Jun. 1. well above the knee, and are slit deckmen. Chief Stokers and

Bodices begin from the waist 44 Mess, Shipwrights, the families from the actics of farm sprace as a meterial for making at the back, and are but little Artisans Mess, Ship's Company, houses. The mads, railways and newsprint paper, the University of higher in front, while no sleeves Marine Detachment and Band, dykes are crowded with prople, who Wisconsin has made paper from are worn, and the arm-holes are Chief Petty Officers' Mess,

frequently mingled upon the Ship's Company lame wearer.

Pearl garters cover up bare "Pettersfield," No. 3 Mess, H.M.S. can be produced at about half the knees, stockings being rolled "Pettersfield," Chief and Petty cost of the present imported variety down below the knee. Four-Officers, H.M.S. "Pettersfield, the sent." The Minister of Labour has and it is expected that the new in- inch wide pearl bracelets, adorn Officers and Crew, H.M. Tug

the thigh.

Frequently a band of pearls Artillery. about 2in. wide is worn Empire Hongkong and Shanghai fashion under the armpits be- Hotels, Ltd., the Manager and England, many football and hockey neath a diaphanous dress.

The Thomas has overflowed its. In startling contrast to her kong and Shanghai Hotels; Ltd., thirteouth, I leaves to-night munt

very smart over black velvet skirts. Some women are using up eilver mesh bags to form collars and cuffs after this mode. To acquire the rosy and fresh Z Rivers in the Netherlands cone complexions that look so charma ing with the hard hats and high Z collars of this winter Parisiennes C are undergoing a new slapping

> This consists of a brisk slapping of the cheeks by the hands!

The gloves, which are some Floods are extending into the times lined with hard "thorns"

than rouged Haces

TOKENS OF ADMIRATION AND REGREE

YESTERDAY'S CEREMONY.

The representative attendance at the funeral of A. B. Batchelor, late of H.M.S. "Hawkins," who died as a result of injuries austained in the fire was significant of the feelings of admiration among "all sections of the community at the gallant work The "Sunday Times" says that which he in common with many in addition to Lord Willingdon, the other voluntary helpers had been led," My. Gunther said, "that the Reverend W. E. Soothill and Dame performing when the regrettable gravel-diggers had found some

accorded the deceased," whose re- Fragments of blackened bones and An earlier cablegram stated :- mains were laid to rest yesterday complete molar teeth, however, The "Duily News" understands afternoon at Happy Valley. The indicated that there had once been \$ that the British Commission fore- coffin was draped in the Union a complete kull at the spot. The shadowed as few months ago by Sir Jack and left the Naval Hospital tusk is now in the College Library. of followed by mourners from the " "A little while later digging was

> firing party. H.M.S. "Hawkins") and Rev. of the relics, including a beauti-Hamilton "Titania") jointly officiated.

of Naval officers and many civil- College authorities for further inians. Among those attending vestigation. The workmen, howwere Capt. W. J. C. Lake (Chief ever, could not be restrained from of Staff), Pay Com. A. C. Roe, trying to extricate the bones Comdr. Gunner H. F. Budden, whole, usually with disastrous Comdr. C. W. Bower. D.S.O. effects. Thus much evidence of Lieut. Edmondstone, and Comdr. great value was undoubtedly des-W. Pott, (officers of the H.M.S. troyed. It is my opinion that the "Hawkins"), the Hon. Mr. P. H. fragments, which might have had Holyoak and Miss Dorothy inestimable value, have now no Holyoak, Comdr. Williams, R.N., meaning. The sterling equivalent of the states that the international lawyer, Mr. J. Scott Harston, Mr. M. F. 1925 collection, at an average ex. Mr. Owen Young, addressing a Key (representing the Hongkong change of 3/5% approximates meeting of the American Economic Chamber of Commerce). Mr. P. for the more careful handling of with Association, said that it is more Condon (representing the Hongage exchange of 3/7.15-16. The restore the world's currencies and Saunders (representing the Kowprincipal increase is at Tientsin keep them secure from fluctuations loon Fire Brigade), Mr. May and Mr. W. E. Hollands (representing the Hongkong Football Asso-

and many others.

ciation), members of the crews

members of various local Clubs

of the various ships in

The Wreaths.

(Sanitary Department). More pearls and still briefer. The Torpedo Men of H.M.S. skull. clothes are to be worn in the "Hawkins), Commissioned Warevenings this winter by the rant and Warrant Officers, Gun-Froom Officers, Wardroom Officers, Underclothing is reduced to his Messmates, Forecastle Mess-Skirts are cut deck, Stokers, Cooks, the Quarter-Mechanic' Mess, Petty Officer

Topmates of No. 8 Mess, "Bluebell," No. 2, Mess, H.M.S.

"Cherub," No. 1 Mess, H.M.S. Regiment, Officers of the Royal

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children floods in many Coat-of-mail jerkins, reminis- Yard Police, Dockyard Recreation Club, the epitaph "To one of Britain's made like them of steel mesh, are Garrison Recreation Club, Euro- Heroes."

SEAMAN'S FUNERAL. PREHISTORIC BONES.

THE DAMAGE TO THE OXFORD REMAINS.

The prehistoric remains discovered in the Deer Park, at S Magdalen College, Oxford, were described by Mr. R. T. Gunther, Curator of the Lewis Evans Collection of Scientific Instruments.

in an interview with a representa-1

tive of the "Morning Post." "Some time ago I was informpetrified bones. I found at the A' full naval funeral was spot the end of a mammoth tusk.

Hawkins." The cortège was again commenced, but I received preceded by the band from the no news of it until several bones | flagship, which also provided the had been found and broken up or damaged by the workmen. I was 5 The Rev. Scott (Chaplain, able, however, to identify several) (Chaplain, H.M.S. fully preserved specimen of the lower jaw of a bear. A small ? There was a large attendance sum of money was granted by the

DISCOVERIES IN LONDON.

Professor Elliot Smith appeals all material excavated from building sites and elsewhere, in order that the remains of prehistoric animal life may be preserved for expert examination.

"Although much," he said, "has been said and written with reference to the excavations for the rebuilding of London, it has not yet. been pointed out with sufficient emphasisis that there may be There was a large, number of passing through the hands of the floral tributes sent, among them excavators daily remains or fragthe following: His Excellency ments which would be of the the Governor (Sir Cecil Clementi, highest value to the anthropolog-K.C.M.G.), and Lady Clementi, ist. It should be realised that for Chuengking, has been Vice-Admiral, Sir E. Alexander the present diggings in various Sinclair, K.C.B., M.V.O., (Com- parts of the city in many cases go The decks are under water; but mander-in-chief of the China down to gravel beds which may Station), Capt. Lake, Mr. J. be expected to contain similar re-Scott Harston, Mr. J. H. Taggart mains to those of the Deer Park (managing Director of the Hotels at Oxford. If those concerned Company), W. J. Hawker with the direction of the work of (Manager of the Hotels Com- excavation could give a little atpany), "A Sorrowful Spectator," | tention to the matter, it is almost Mr. and Mrs. G. Morrison, Capt. certain that there would be Brewer and W. T. Hayle, Mr. and brought to light many discoveries Mrs. Martin, Inspector Blake of an interest as great as that which attaches to the Lloyds

> "All finds should be reported immediately to the authorities at the British Museum. If this were done much progress might be made in investigation."

Willie was five years old and went to church every Sunday with some other small boys, each one having a penny. But one Sunday he went to church with his nother and when the collection was being taken up, he

"Ma, have you got a penny?" "No." said his molher. "Then take mine. I'll get under

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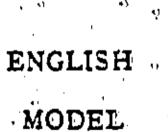
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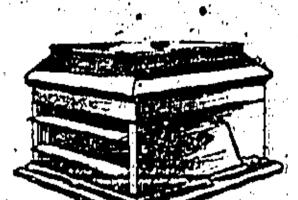
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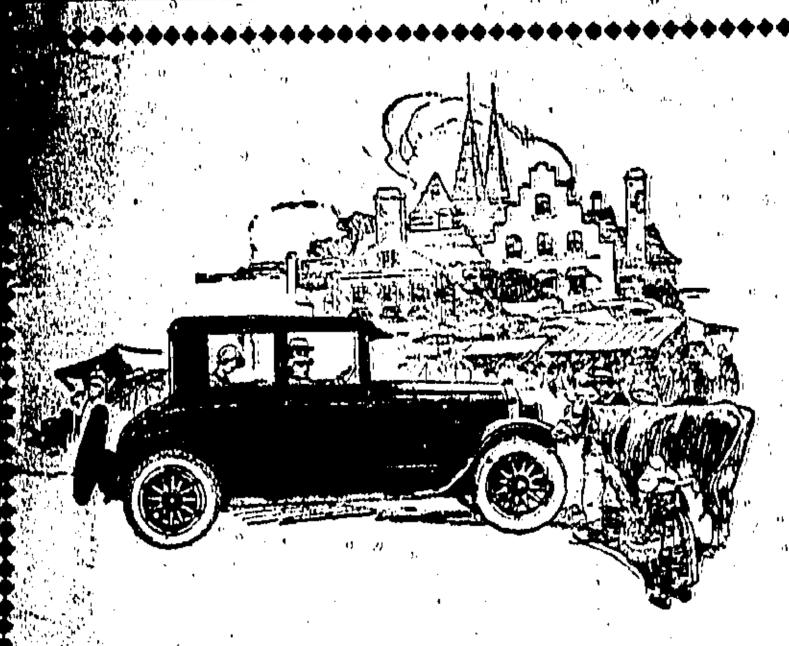
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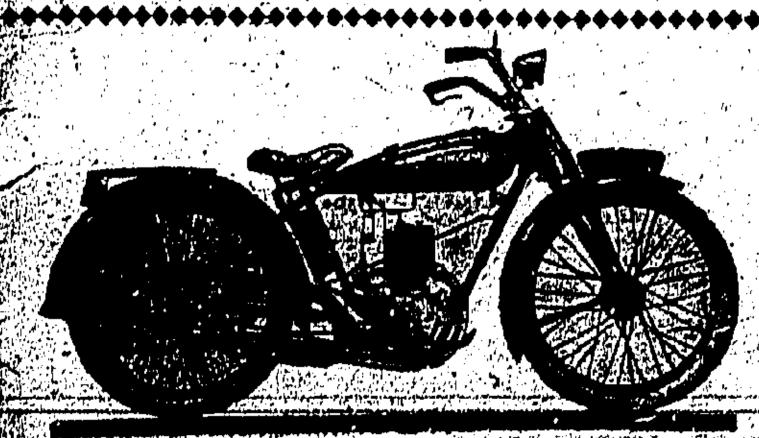
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not pay her war debts. Having period in the past five years. already tendered her first payment with a cheque for \$5,000,000 to be collected in June, she has Times" just reeceived from Lonnow borrowed \$100,000,000; cash | don by Miss Doris Woods, the down, thus becoming more than tango is much in evidence and is able to meet it.

of the reign of King Victor big dances." Emmanuel has been unveiled in the countyard of the San Silvestro Palace, the central post reported by the Rome corresponoffice, in the presence of repre- dent of the "Daily Mail." postal and telegraphic services. 28, struck the periscope of a sub- Delamere, of all the British services. o

their weekly share report state: - brought his craft to the surface. Hongkong, Docember 35, 1925. During the period under review 🖔 🦠 mre h doub tome appears a little ebetter instarty. At the close of last, week sellers were the majority but with a little enquiry as has been market shows a few more buying rates and in consequence sellers are holding off. One instance may be Malesherbes. quested when "Banks" were \$1,075sellers one 18th instant very little !

on 23rdi instant which is said to be he higgest on record, the market, is still indimited confidence in Rubber" there and a brisk market s ambigipated, the tone generally is

mits of \$1,050.

-The Singapore Market both for valued to \$1.58 per 15.

ed at the present time at the ject has the financial support and Italy has made a drastic re- of wages being paid, are stated to archives.

According to the "Dancing included on all dance programmes. Private letters also received A monument to commemor-state that "the tango is all the ate the twenty-fifth anniversary rage and is to be seen at all the

A most unusual incident sentatives of the Government, hydroplane swimming the surface the army, the navy and the of the Gulf of Spezzia, on October The monument was erected by the imerged submarine. The hydromen of the postal and telegraphic plane turned turtle, but its occupants were uninjured. The submarine's periscope was knocked Messis," Vigenon & Smyth in off, and the commander at once

Paris pedestrians have formusing somethe Local Share Market, edia Pedestrians' Protective Assohas been on a very small scale, ciation sworn to break down the stocks, generally have not altered "tyranny of 60,000 chauffeurs and taxi-drivers over 4,000,000 free citizens of Paris." The organisation has announced that it will work to aid and protect the shown during the dast few days, the pring guilty automobile drivers to justice. Headquarters have been

dropped to \$980, buyers, came in it ought to see is astonishing," ments of agricultural practice for 5 and shares are score at to-day's says Dr. William Beebe, the Canada, the Liverpool Chamber | Since the settlement in Shanghar water tours near Galapagos in an othe question of emigration and naturally has been much easier, there and-legend-induced fear of sharks the Overseas Dominions to facilicrafty, cruel-mouthed, sneering, would require too much money, "Tin" and "Rubber" has had a as they really are indolent, special meeting of the chamber set back and business passing is on a awkward, chinless cowards." on the subject. The point, which restsered scale, our tengrains, how- This can hardly be called an im- must be taken into account, is ever, of 30.h instant show a better provement in the shark's reputa- that so long as a large number | tone, the Raw Material has ad- tion, but at least it makes him have the dole they do not want to 🧓 "seem less unsociable.

Thirteen million people are German songs of the World include regimental anthoms, and songs of the battlefield and those The number of men employ- of the folks at home. The pro-Liverpool docks, and the amount direction of officials of the federal

> Plans for a dictionary which will be American instead of English were discussed in Chicago by W. A. Craigie of the University of Oxford before the National Council of Teachers of English Professor Cralgie, who was brought from England by the University of Chicago to supervise compilation of the book, pointed out the need for such a dictionary, which would not be one of slang but of words in common use in America but not in

colonies in East and General Africa, opened at Tukuyu in Tanganyika Territory recently. Further advices just received from East "Africa state that 13 delegates will now be present, all having a semi-official status as representing their respective colonies. The question of a joint London representation and show if rooms, to follow up the good will created at Wembley, is also to be considered, in addition to the political, economic, and customs; co-ordination questions.

Following on the suggestion opened in the Boulevard of Bruce Walker, Canada's new Emigration Commissioner in Great Britain, that part of the 2 "The ability of the human "dole" should be used to train business was done and the rate imagination to see what it thinks potential emigrants in the rudizoologist, describing his under- of Commerce has been debating Harpers." "As long as my book- was arrived at that free loans to dominated. I saw them as sinuous, tate their emigration schemes When I came at last to know them but that something on Mr. for harmless scavengers, all Walker's lines was more what these characteristics slipped was required. A sub-committee away, and I saw them was appointed to report to a

emigrate!

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Prize of the value of £150 for the authority, while in racing and the register. best biography published in Great drama he also took a keen Britain each year has been award- interest. ed to the Rev. William Wilson for his book, "The House of Airlie," The "cruiser "Yarmouth," Mrs. Coolidge to the New York

contemplating writing her re- and will pay off into dockyard ed. The proceeds of the bazaar miniscences. She has just finish- control again on their completion, will be sent to Persia for the ed her new novel, which she is It has been approved for the support of a missionary sent calling "Ilderim: A Tale of Light "Yarmouth," on final completion, there by the church. be remembered as the author of Portsmouth crew, as an indepen-She has also written a book about | trip to the China Station, com- | "Carlisle," the "Weymouth," Cap-That I Love," which has been course with part of the relief crew O.B.E., is to proceed to Devonillustrated by her daughter, for the flagship "Hawkins." Elizabeth, Queen of Greece:

Garvey has been appointed to the command of the "Woodcock," one film group over the proposed of the river gunboats in China, in which Lieutenant-Commander C. G. P. Jones has completed two Lieutenant-Commander Garvey last served in command of and as Superintendent of Anti-Gas Training, and was formerly suspicious of the proposed comn command of the destroyers Grampus" and "Napier.'

During the recent municipal elections a well-known womanworker, who is a handsome and striking figure, invariably well turned out, was addressing a crowded men's meeting in rather rough neighbourhood, and found herself subjected to persistent "heckling" from a man in the front. "Look at your great pearl earrings," he cried, sarcastically; "will you take a profit on them?" Quick as lightning the lady wrenched them from her ears and held them out, saying, "No. I won't take a profit on them, but I'll give them to you

the duties of Officiating Clergy- the age of 70, of Mr. Sydney weight boxing champion, told the man to the troops of the Wesleyan Pardon, best known to the public Los Angeles City Council that its Denomination, Hongkong, on 1st as the editor of "Wisden's ordinance requiring him to pay Almanack," the "cricketers's into the civic chest \$10 a day as a Bible." On cricket and cricket licence fee for his gymnasium was The James Tait Memorial history" he was the supreme a knockout blow for his cash

ind Shade." Her Majesty will to be commissioned with a special "The Voice of the Mountain." dent command, for her trooping relieved

Differences have developed be-Lieutenant Commander Douglas | tween Charles Chaplin and other members of the United Artists merger of releasing facilities with Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Douglas Fairbanks, one of the founders of United Artists, is quoted as say ing: "Charlie is kicking over the the Anti-Gas School at Chatham traces just as he did when United Artists first organised. He i in the battleship "Royal Oak." In bine, which I am convinced is for Boz Club. He numbered Thomas the latter part of the war he was the good of the entire industry as Carlyle and Charles Reade among well as United Artists." banks expressed conviction the deal would go through anyway but probably not before the first

> The following appointments among others by the Admiralty figures. on Nov. 19 are: C. D. Bury, "Yarmouth" (on commg), for service (undated), and to Principal Assistant-Secretary and "Durban" (on arrival on station). Director of Establishments, Lieuts. — G. J. A. Cross, to Ministry of Labour, was taken ill "Yarmouth," on commg, for ser- in his office at the Ministry vice (undated), and for duty on in November. He died later in passage out, and to "Titania." St. Thomas's Hospital. A memfor "Marazion" (on joining); ber of the Civil Service for over Commd. Engr.-J. W. Jones, 70 twenty-eight years, Mr. Watson 'Yarmouth" (November 18); and had been a Government official in on commk, for trials, and to India, as well as in the home "Yarmouth," on commg. for duty country, and thrice obtained re-

The Rev. E. A. Bastin assumed The death has taken place at Jack Dempsey, world's heavy-

An autographed picture of the White House was presented by published in 1924 by Mr. Murray, which has been undergoing re- Avenue Presbyterian Church for pairs at Portsmouth, commis- its Christmas bazaar on Decem-The Queen of Roumania is now sioner for trials on November 17, ber 2. The picture was auction-

> On return from China with the port, and after discharging the relieved ratings to their depots, to reduce to reserve as tender to the "Thunderer." The "Weymouth" was due in England about December 17.

"Friend of Dickens" was proud title to fame of a Londoner who has passed away at the age of ninety-eight. Percy Fitzgerald was biographer of the novelist, first president of the Dickens Fellowship and founder of the Fair his intimates. But he liked best to be known and remembered as 🔚 a crony of the creator of Oliver Twist, David Copporfield, Little Nell and the rest of the immortals who are more real to the modern world than many contemporary

Mr. Arthur William Watson, voyage out; and to "Hawkins" cognition for his work, receiving rom dato of joining). We the O.B.E. in 1918, the C.B.E. in

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In the same section, the Moslem "B" team fielded six men against St. Joseph's College Reserves— also prominent but showed a tenalso at Happy Valley, which incidentally, is the cradle of local football. Two youls down at the chan the score seems to indicate, interval the Moslems refused to and Mongkong did extremely well continue.

ments prevailing.

COMPLETED GAMES.

Division I.

South China ... 2 H.K.F.C. Surreys 4 "Tamar" R.A. 22 Kowloon Police 3 Club de Recreio.

Div. II (Sec. A).

New Chinese Team.

mean, the Chinese seniors defeated L the H.K.F.C. by the odd goal in wards. three; thus reversing the defeat (2-0) at the Club's hands on November 7.

The teams were:--Leung Yuk-tong, Wong Sui-wa, Crowe, G. S. Dunkley, S. A. Lam Yuk-ying; Ko Sik-wai, Leung | Grew, J. H. Raikes, J. C. Stewart, Wing-tak, Chan So, Suen Kam- W. R. Wahl, and P. A. Watkinson, shun. Chan Kwong-iu.

M.K.F.C. (-Rodger; Summers) Bishop; Mair, Stewart, Watson; Brodie, Forsyth, Howard, McBride,

Referee :--- Mr. F. R. Smith: Playing steady football, the Chinese prevailed against an eleven which was only good in parts. The Club forwards did not shine as a line but Forsyth and Howard did well individually.

Chan So beat the defenders and slipped the ball-back to Suen who gave his side the lead.

Before the interval Forsyth equalised for the H.K.F.C.

Such had an opportunity and scored from 10 yards out.

Champions Get Four.

With their vanguard in form, the Surreys (holders of the senior | Queensland). league championship) beat H.M.S. "Tamar" by 4 goals to nil. Humberstone (first half), Butler

(two, one from a penalty) and | (New South Wales), H. Love, W Charlesworth were the marksmen. Kowloon Held Again.

At Sockumpoo, the Royal Artillery held the Kowloon seniors to a draw of 2 all.

led by 2-1 after being in arrears. Big guns in the artillerymen's defence kept the Kowloon forwards at bay...

the-first half and Pulford equalis- Remedios, C. Remedios; Brown, ed. After the interval Pulford Rocha, Silva, Fuertes, H. V. shot a second and McKeivie Remedios. squared matters again.

Téams:-R.A.: -Stanton; Trim, Moakes; Pachell, Reade, Viccars; Grew. Harris, Pulford, Wilson, Sands. Urquhart; Turner, Sims, Mc- Play. Kelvie; Taylor, McBride, Linaker, Read, Hayes.

Police Surprise-Packet.

Occasional surprise sorties by Brown, Morris, the Police forwards gave the R. A. Reserven: - Smeath; "coppers" their second lengue Whittington, Gints; Sargent, victory of the season, their victims | Haynes, Smith; Newham, Holland, being the Club de Recreio who Maddox, Brewer, Rowland. were without their crack centre- | "Cavielle scored both the home forward, Gosano.

game but failed in front of goal. on the Gunners' reserves this Wynne and Clark again, won season. honours in a series of rearguard actions.

In the first half Oram found the net for the Police. The second session saw McGinley put in No. 2. Then Rocha headed through for the Recreio, after a movement by

wall, McGinley, Simpson, Oram, cided to defray the expenses for

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DEFEAT.

WEATHER HELPED SHANGHAL

Spectators crossed the touch- Hongkong had very hard luck lines in a league (division II, not to do better, remarks the section B) soccer match at Happy "N.C. Daily News" of the inter-Valley on Saturday when the port rugby match in which South China "C" were playing the Shanghai won by 2 goals (10 points) to a try (3 points).

> Of the backs Lammert stood It was about 15 minutes be playing wing, half and forward all at once, and playing the centre and bloyd kicked wel-

Foster, Middleton-Smith, an Gould were the pick of a very inne pack. Lithgow-Smith was dency to get offside at times. The game was much more even

to keep. Shanghai down to one Several other junior fixtures did score in the second half when not come off, last-minute postpone- | racing the wicked blast. It was very uniortunate for them that it was not another dry day. Had it been we should probably have seen another thrilling and evenly fought struggle.

The teams were:—

Blongkong:-H. J. Armstrong, W. Summers, li. M. S. Illoyd, A. S. Hett, G. P. harmment (cuptain), threequar ters; L. P. Ralph, J. Noronha, half-backs; J. H. Foster, F. J. W. Focker, G. G. Stopani-Thomson, W. R. Andrews, Lieut. Gould, D. Northampton 6, Brentford 1. Making several changes in their O'Connor, G. Lithgow-Smith, and Norwich I. Bristol City 3.

Shanghai: -G. D. Nicholl, full- | Southend 2, Plymouth 0. back; D. G. Hopper, L. Goldman, Swindon 8; Bournemouth 2, G. E. Goolden, G. F. H. Bichard, W. King. lthreequartors: J. South China: - Hui Shing-hue W. D. N. Neith half-backs; C Yirk-tat. Ng Kam-chuen: [Grenchard-Davis (captain), A. E. forwards.

"ASHES."

AUSTRALIA'S FIRST TRIAL.

THE TWO TRAMS.

(Times of Ceylon.)

Melbourne, November 19. The teams in the cricket trial to he played at Sydney on December I will be as follow :--

Australia :--- II. Collins ! (Cap Through Summers miskicking Gin, W. Oldfield, J. Gregory, J. Paylor, A. Majiey, T. Andrews and A. Kippex (New South Wales), J. Byder, W. Ronsford and H. Hendry (Vigtoria); and P. Hornibrook

> The Rest of Australia:--W. Burdsley (Cuptain), C. Macartiney, J. Scoth, H. Rock and C. Kelleway Woodfull and D. Blackie (Victorian, C. Grimmetti, V. Richardson, A Richardson and J. Rymill (South Australia).

-{Note:-As cabled by Reuter. In the second half the soldiers the Rest won by over 100 runs.

Recreio: - Fernandez: Ogley, Linaker scored for Kowloon in Xavier; H. C. Remedios, R.

> Kowloon Reserves Win. On their own pitch, the Kowloon F.C. Reserves were value for their two goal victory over the Royal Artillery Reserves for

Kowloon: - Vickers; Wheeler, whom the goalie gave a good dis-The teams were:— K.F.C. Reserves:—Rasmussen; Knight, Guest; Oliver, Pasco,

Street: Eastman, Miles, Cavielle,

team's points, once in each half. The Recreio had most of the This is the first defeat inflicted

TOut of the takings on December 19 of the Lat Wah Cup match at Sookumpoo between the Royal Ogley and Brown. Towards the Navy and South China, \$300 will end-Simpson pierced the Recreio be given to the S.M. M1 disaster citadel and the Police won by 3. find and \$800 to a Canton bosnital. goals to 1. The teams were: -- This is practically two-thirds of Police: Clark; Wynne, Taylor; the gross proceeds, as the H.K. Brittain, Johnson, Harle; Corn. Pootball Association generously de-

SCOTLAND'S VICTORY OVER TRANCE

IRREGULAR SCORING AGAIN.

HOME SOCCER.

LEAGUE RESULTS & TABLES

(Reuter's Service.) 20 points to 6. London, January 2. League football matches played to-day (home team given first)

| resulted;----

Division I. Birmingham 2, Sunderland 1. Burnley 2, Aston Villa 8. Bury 3, Blackburn L Cardiff 2, Manchester City 2. Leeds 2, Notts County 1. Liverpool 0, Leicester 3. Manchester United 2, West Ham 1. Newcastle 5, Bolton 1. Sheffield 1, Everton 1.

dersfield 2. Division II. Carnsley 3, Oldham 4. Bradford City 4, Chelsea 2.

fottenham 1, Arsenal 1.

verby 3, Hull 1, Tulham 3, The Wednesday 0, aliddlesborough 4, Portsmouth 1. Notts Forest 2, Darlington 0, Fort Vale 4, Clapton Onent 2. Freston North End 1, Wolver-

hampton 0. Southampton 2, Blackpool 2. South Shields 3, Swansea 1. Stockport 2, Stoke 1.

Division III (South). Aberdare 8, Watford 1 Brighton 2. Newport 1. Exeter 3, Reading 2. limiton 4. Merthyr 0. Milliwall 1. Crystal Palace Oc Middleton-Smith, "for- Queen's Park Rangers 0, Gillingham 1.

> Bristol Rovers v. Charlton postboned, ground under water.

Division III (North). Accrington 5, Walsall 2. Crewe 1, Nelson 4. Durham 2, Tranmere 1. Halifax 2. Chesterfield 0. Hartlepools 4, Rochdale 2. Lincoln O. Coventry 3. New Brighton 2, Barrow 1 Rotherham 2, Bradford 3. Southport 0, Wrexham 1,

Wigan 0, Ashington 2. Doncaster 1. Grimsby 0, when abandoned 13 minutes after halfume.

Scottish League.

Clydebank 2, St. Johnstone 0. Cowdenbeath, 1, Hearts 2. Dundee 1, Raith 1. Falkirk 3, Motherwell 3. Hamilton 3. Airdrieonians 4. Hibernians 0, Aberdeen 0. Kilmarnock 2, Dundee United 3. Morton 9, St. Mirren 0. Queen's Park 1. Celtic 4. Rangers 2, Partick 1.

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GOLF MATCH:

RUGBY IN RAIN.

Narrow margins were the order of the day when the junior section, (Reuter's Seroloo.) Paris, Jan. 2.

Colombes was packed to capacity when, in a drizzling rain and on a heavy ground, Scotland beat France at international rugby by

Forty thousand people watched

The Scots' victory was well merited. They dominated the game in all departments, more especially the three-quarters and forwards.

minute

Shortly afterwards Wallace scored a try.

Near the interval Wallace scored West Bromwich Albion 2, Hud- another try.

At half-time, Scotland led by 9 points to nik On the resumption, McMyn

a minute. From the line-out Wallace scored another unconverted try. Ribeyre got over the Scotch ine but the try was disallowed.

Then Gonnet picked up, ran strongly for forty yards, and gained an unconverted try for France. Soon afterwards, in a forward rush, Maury (France) scored and unconverted try. The French continued to press for a time but met

A" minute from the finisht, Bannerman, securing from the scrum, scored a try which was converted by Drysdale.

Scotland thus won by I goal, I penalty goal and 4 ties (20 points) to 2 tries (6 points).

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KOWLOON LOSE AT HAPPY

Royal Hongkong Golf Club, won a team match on their own, course (Happy Valley) from the Kowloon Golf Club. The hosts returned the h

awcetest tones: Pardon me ladies:

But may the conductor and I bring

4 you out two chairs?"

But their legs showed

SINGLES. Happy Valley. C. H. Beardall B. Petheram A. K. MacDonnell F. Oliver S. B. Spillett

A sensational start saw Gillies score a penalty goal in the first

scored an unconverted try within

a very sound defence.

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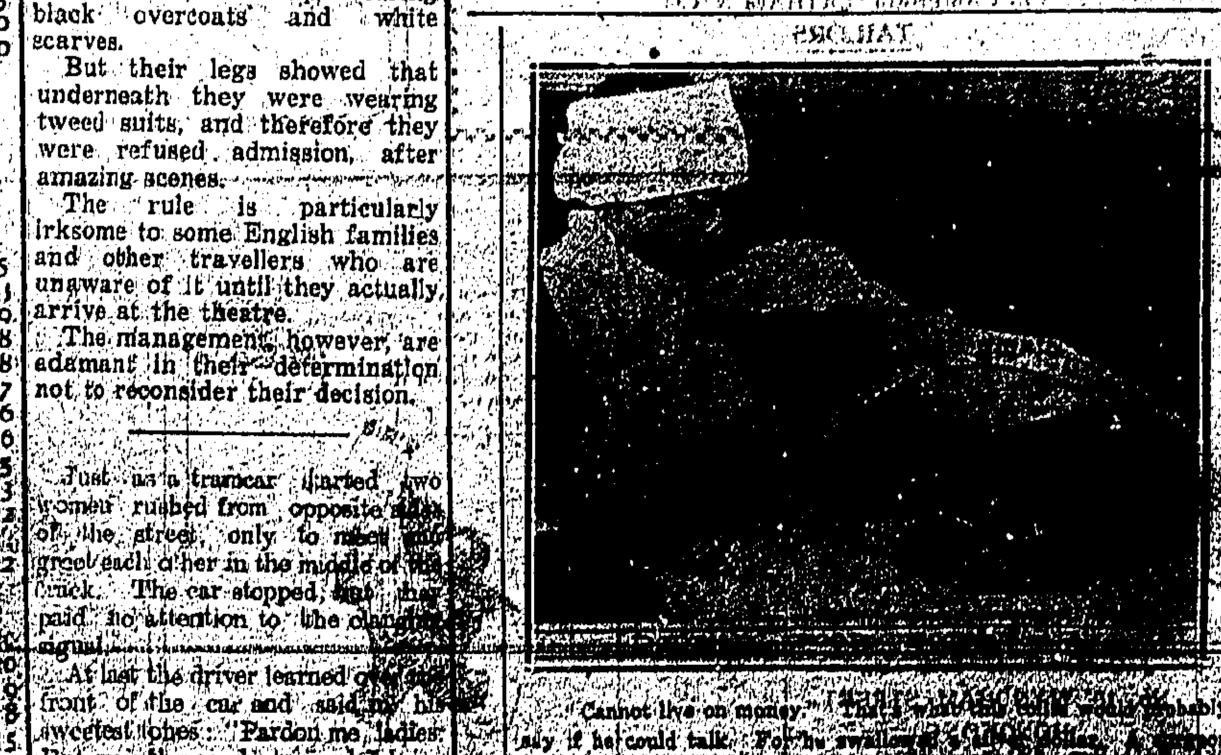
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OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS.

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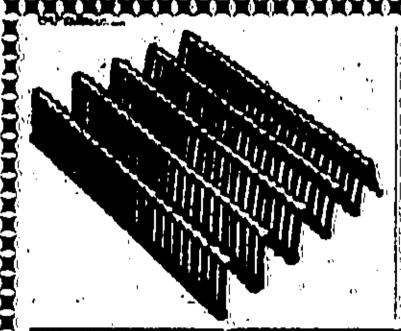


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People and Events in the News of the World



Helen Wilson, of stage fame, visited Anoka Rose Bud, one of the

boving celebrities at the International Stock Show, where thoroughbred cows and bulls competed for blue ribbons.



Mrs. Elizabeth Senchel, suffering from amnesia, was picked up by the police. Playing with the keys of a typewriter (she is a stenographer) she wrote her parents' telephone



Virginia Selden knows one of the best places in the world for money the Treasury. So she visited Mr. Mellon and found him, personally, a willing contributor to the Red Cross drive.



The girl in the Revolutionary period attire was bowed down with

fifty-six different pieces of clothing, while the fiapper of to-day, at

the left, wears about fifty pieces less.

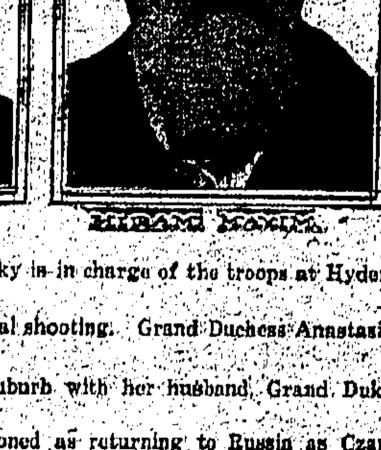


Captain Deveroux, of the Clyde liner "Lenape," while flames raced through the craft, coolly guided the vessel off the New Jersey coast until rescue craft picked up the 867. passengers and crew from the flaming hulk. The craft was benched a total



COVERNOR TOPPOR





Governor Fields of Kentucky is in charge of the troops at Hyden, where rioting followed a political shooting. Grand Duchess Anastasia is living quietly in a Paris suburb with her husband, Grand Duke Nicholas, who has been mentioned as returning to Russin as Czar. E. C. Miller, Near East Relief official, has been decorated by Greece in recognition of his work among orphans and refugacs, Hiram Maxim, inventor, has gone to Europe to get, he says, a "glass of ale."

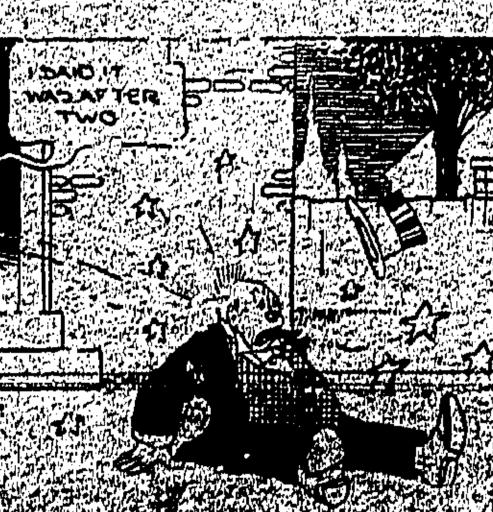
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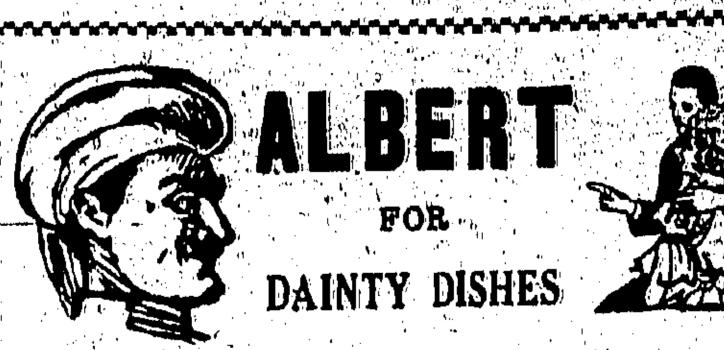
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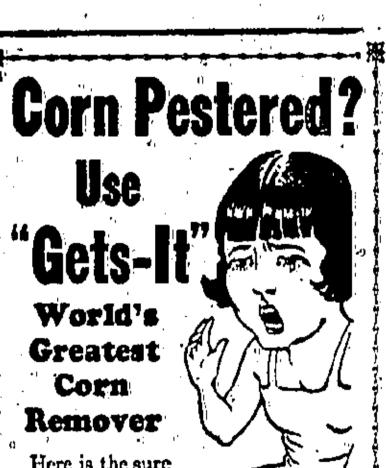
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conspiring together on Dec. 30, to being made. obtain the release of one Lee Ah-lei. then a patient at the Government Lunatic Asylum, together with his belongings with intent to defrand. The second defendant was a ward

Murray, in charge of the Asylum. C. F. Obey, a yearly traveller to the Witness said that Lee Ah-lei arrived Far East; Mr. F. In Robbins. by the s.s. "President Wilson" on Parke, Davis and Co.'s representa-December 24, and was that day add tive-on business; Mr. C. S. Allen, ence in everything connection with mitted to the Asylum. The patient engineer of Holts Wharf, Shanghai, had in his possession \$42.30 in on holidays; Mr. K. Yoshida; in the famous Fokker firm as American money, a gold wristlet Chinese Post Office employee of experimental engineer for over | Watch, a pair of cuff links made Shanghui en route to Canton; Mr. two years before going out to the from American gold pieces, two snit S. Richmond, Secretary. Navy East. Since arriving in Java, he cases containing clothing and am Y.M.C.A., Manila; Mr. A. Kopp, and his mechanic have in the last attache case. The following day a from Paris, a yearly traveller Mr. two years, flown over 5,000 miles letter was written by the patient P. W. Massey, member of the firm with passengers without a single to his friends at No. 81, Conduit of Holyonk, Massey and Co., Horg-Rond, but this was sent back as kong and Shanghai, Mr. . A. The First Dutch Air Cb. was they had left for Singapore. At Nemuzee, member of the firm of formed in 1918 in Amsterdam, 12.15 p.m. on December 30, witness Nemazee and Co., Hongkong and with the intention of thoroughly saw the first defendant standing in Shanghai; Mr. K. Nemazee; memexploring the possibility of estab- the hall. Where was also a Chinese ber of the Firm of Nemance and Co., lishing air lines throughout the ward master and an office boy. On Hongkong and Shanghai; and Mr. Dutch East Indies, for the purpose being questioned, defendant, who C. J. Ferguson, representative of

of transporting mails, passengers claimed to be a brother of the Anderson Meyer and Co. on a busiand goods. Since 1921 the Com- patient, could not give the patient's nees trip. pany has been engaged through name, and later became confused out all the East Indies Archi- in his replies. Witness suspected pelago, chiefly with a view to there was something wrong and propaganda. In 1923 the Com- handed the man over to the police. Answering questions put by Diviwith the intention of dealing with sional Inspector P. Grant who had advertising by means of aero-charge of the case, witness said that planes, as well as carrying on the the second defendant was in charge usual commercial work of trans- of the ward in which the patient! porting mails, goods and pas- was kept. The ward adjoined the from halk. It was possible for the

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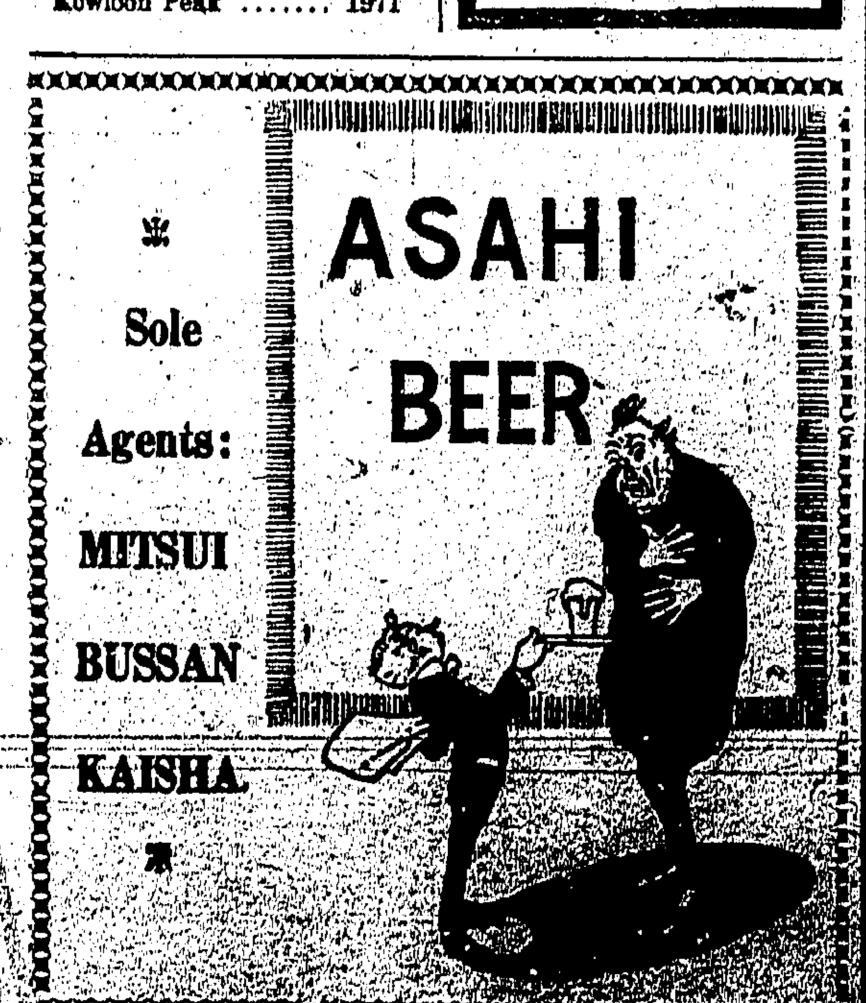
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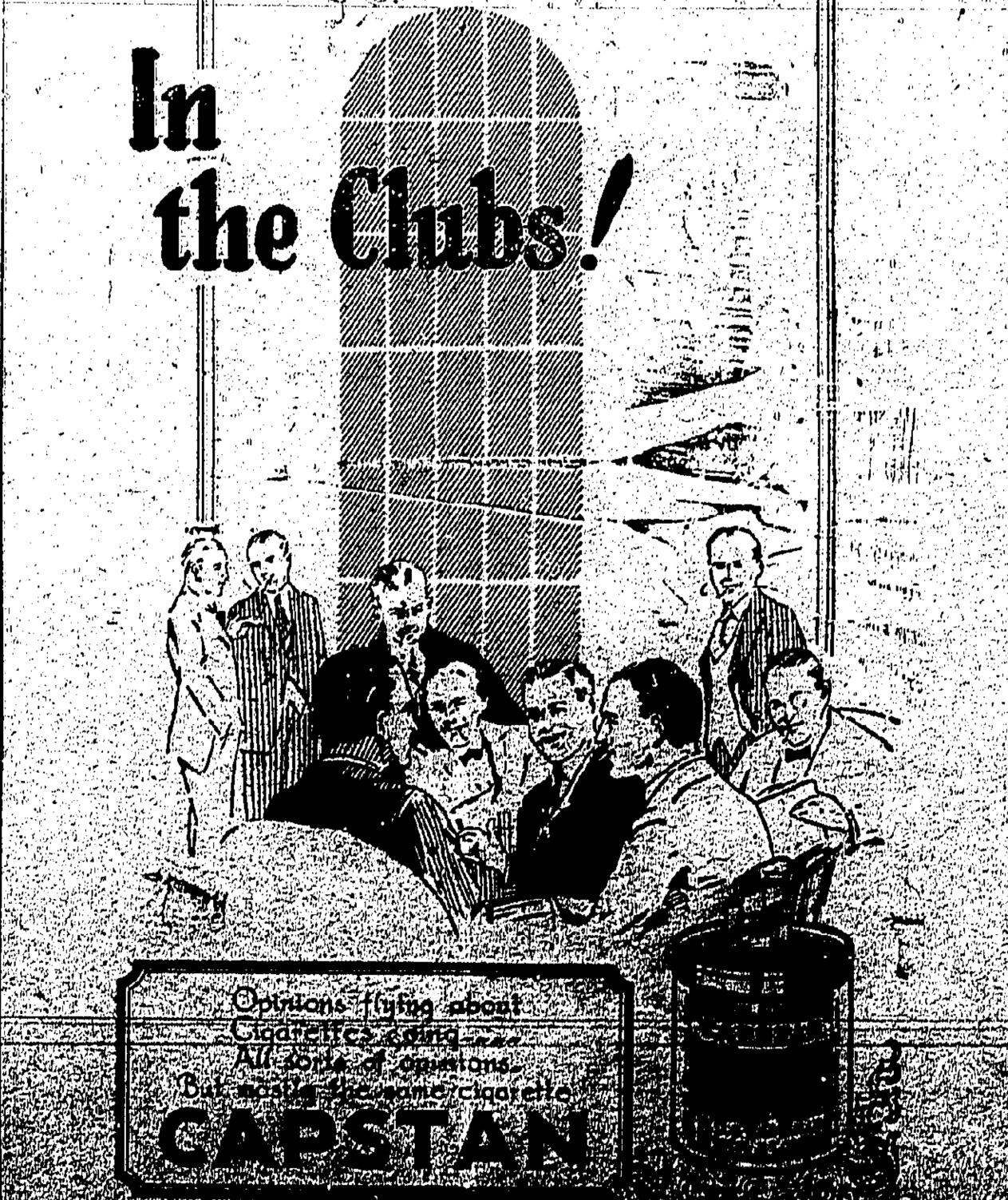
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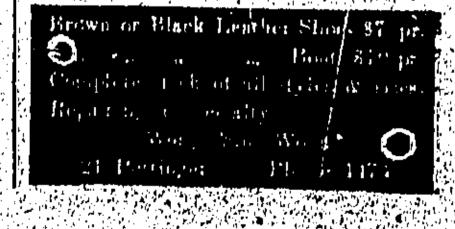
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